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COMMENCEMENT CEREMONIES  
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TASSEL COLORS

Graduate College

- Doctoral Programs
- Specialist in Education
- Master of Accounting
- Master of Architectural Engineering
- Master of Arts
- Master of Arts for Teachers of Mathematics
- Master of Business Administration
- Master of Business Administration — Executive MBA
- Master of Fine Arts
- Master of Music
- Master of Public Administration
- Master of Public Health
- Master of Science
- Master of Social Work

College of Arts and Sciences

- Bachelor of Arts
- Bachelor of Science

UNL College of Engineering

- Bachelor of Science
- Associate

College of Education

- Bachelor of Science in Education
- Bachelor of Science in Athletic Training

College of Business Administration

- Bachelor of Science in Business Administration

College of Public Affairs and Community Service

- Bachelor of Science in Criminology and Criminal Justice
- Bachelor of General Studies
- Bachelor of Science in Social Work
- Bachelor of Science in Aviation

UNL College of Education and Human Sciences

- Bachelor of Science in Education and Human Sciences

College of Information Science and Technology

- Bachelor of Science in Computer Science
- Bachelor of Science in Management Information Systems
- Bachelor of Science in Bioinformatics
- Bachelor of Science in Information Assurance
- Bachelor of Science in IT Innovation

College of Communication, Fine Arts and Media

- Bachelor of Arts in Art History
- Bachelor of Arts in Communication
- Bachelor of Arts in Studio Art
- Bachelor of Arts in Theatre
- Bachelor of Fine Arts
- Bachelor of Music
- Bachelor of Science in Communication

University Honors Program

The University Honors Program is a University-wide program providing maximum educational opportunities for students of high ability through special multidisciplinary seminars and participation in an academic level not generally possible in usual curricular offerings.

The program is an outgrowth of the Arts and Sciences Honors program and was initiated in 1978. It is governed through the office of the Senior Vice Chancellor for Academic and Student Affairs and administered through the Honors Director. UNO colleges which implement Honors Programs include Arts and Sciences; Business Administration; Education; Public Affairs and Community Service; Information Science and Technology; and Communication, Fine Arts and Media.

As part of their Honors Program requirements, students undertake a research project that results in a Senior Honors Thesis. Students who have been designated in this booklet as Honors Program students have fulfilled the academic requirements of this program. Honors Program graduates wear blue and scarlet Honors cords.

Medallion Colors

Students receiving their baccalaureate degree with honors will be presented medallions in the colors designated.

Summa Cum Laude	Red/White
Magna Cum Laude	White
Cum Laude	Red

UNL College of Engineering and UNL College of Education and Human Sciences students receiving their baccalaureate degrees with honors will be presented medallions in the colors indicated.

Highest Distinction	Red/White
High Distinction	White
Distinction	Red

Phi Kappa Phi

Members of the Honor Society of Phi Kappa Phi, the nation's most selective all-discipline academic honor organization, shall be recognized by the navy blue and gold honor cords or stoles.

Omicron Delta Kappa

Active student members of the UNO Circle of Omicron Delta Kappa, the National Leadership Honor Society, shall be recognized by the blue, white and black honor cords, the official colors of the society.

Pi Gamma Mu

Blue and white cords with the blue tassels honor graduating members of Pi Gamma Mu, International Honor Society in Social Science.

History of Hood and Robe

Identification of the hood and robe as academic apparel is believed to have originated at the English universities of Oxford and Cambridge during the twelfth and thirteenth centuries. The hoods are a carry-over from the times when monks, who operated these universities, wore them to protect their shaved heads in winter. The robe is an adaptation of the shoulder cape also worn by these same monks while collecting alms.

Use of the academic robe came to the United States in 1754 with the founding of what is now Columbia University. In 1895, a commission of University officials adopted a universal code of design and color for the academic garb. This code has undergone several revisions in subsequent years.

Styling of the robes varies for the bachelor's, master's and doctoral degrees with the width of sleeve borders and length of the hood increasing with each advanced degree. Hoods are normally not used for bachelor's degrees today. Instead, the tassel colors are used to indicate the degree program. All doctoral degree recipients are indicated by a gold tassel.

UNDERGRADUATE HONORS

Summa Cum Laude	<i>scl</i>
Magna Cum Laude	<i>mcl</i>
Cum Laude	<i>cl</i>
4.0 grade point average	<i>*</i>
Highest Distinction	<i>HD</i>
High Distinction	<i>hd</i>
Distinction	<i>d</i>
Extra Muros	<i>em</i>

The Baccalaureate degrees with honors are awarded as follows:

To all graduates whose scholastic average for their entire university career and at UNO is 3.51 or above, but below 3.63, the degree cum laude

To all graduates whose scholastic average for their entire university career and at UNO is 3.63 or above, but below 3.87, the degree magna cum laude

To all graduates whose scholastic average for their entire university career and at UNO is 3.87 or above, the degree summa cum laude.

To qualify for honors, a student must have earned at least 60 semester hours within the University of Nebraska system, 30 hours of which must be completed at the University of Nebraska at Omaha and in which letter grades of "A," "B," "C," or "D" are received.

Grades awarded in all courses taken at all colleges and universities attended are included in computing the Grade Point Average (GPA) for determining eligibility for honors. It should be noted that the GPA included in the student grade reports issued by the Registrar's Office reflects only courses taken at UNO, UNL, UNMC, and UNK.

Baccalaureate Degrees with Honors Extra Muros

These degrees are awarded to transfer students who have not completed the required 60 semester hours of credit within the University of Nebraska system required for cum laude, magna cum laude, or summa cum laude honors.

Degrees with Distinction

(UNL College of Engineering and UNL College of Education and Human Sciences)

In recognition of outstanding academic excellence, the UNL College of Engineering and the UNL College of Education and Human Sciences recommends the bachelor's degree With Distinction, With High Distinction and With Highest Distinction.

UNL College of Engineering

- Candidates for the bachelor's degree who have successfully completed the program to which they were admitted and achieved a 3.82 cumulative grade point average and above will receive a degree with Distinction
- Candidates for the bachelor's degree who have successfully completed the program to which they were admitted and achieved a 3.95 cumulative grade point average and above will receive a degree with High Distinction
- Candidates for the bachelor's degree who have successfully completed the program to which they were admitted and achieved a 3.95 cumulative grade point average and above and a recommendation from the department will receive a degree with Highest Distinction

UNL College of Education and Human Sciences

- Candidates for the bachelor's degree who have successfully completed the program to which they were admitted and achieved a 3.85 to 3.949 cumulative grade point average will receive a degree with Distinction
- Candidates for the bachelor's degree who have successfully completed the program to which they were admitted and achieved a 3.95 to 3.999 cumulative grade point average will receive a degree with High Distinction
- Candidates for the bachelor's degree who have successfully completed the program to which they were admitted and achieved a 4.0 cumulative grade point average will receive a degree with Highest Distinction

For the safety and convenience of our guests and out of respect of graduates, we ask that members of the audience refrain from leaving their seats, congregating near the stage or exiting prior to the close of our ceremonies. A professional photographer will record graduates as they cross the stage. Photos are available from vendors. Thank you for your cooperation.

\* Sign language interpretation provided by Christina Gawley and Cassi Siska.

**Today's Ceremony at 10 a.m.**

Prelude "5 *Carol Settings*" Arr. Rob Roy McGregor  
Processional "*Pomp and Circumstance March No. 1*" E. Elgar Palladium Brass  
Master of Cermonies Interim Senior Vice Chancellor B.J. Reed  
National Anthem "*The Star Spangled Banner*"  
[Please join in singing led by Ms. Alyssa Bolte Vocal Music/Education major]  
Chancellor's Welcome Chancellor John Christensen  
Regents' Welcome Mr. Robert Whitehouse Chair of the Board of Regents  
Student Address "*Thank You, Mom and Dad*" Ms. Elizabeth Malone,pg. 8  
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Mr. Lee Denker President of the UNO Alumni Association  
To: Mr. Paul G. Smith, pg. 9  
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Presentation of Candidates Academic Deans  
Conferring of Degrees Chancellor John Christensen  
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    Education Dean Nancy Edick, pg. 24  
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Closing Interim Senior Vice Chancellor B.J. Reed  
Recessional "*Pomp and Circumstance March No. 4*" E. Elgar

**Today's Ceremony at 2 p.m.**

Prelude "5 *Carol Settings*" An. Rob Roy McGregor  
Processional "*Pomp and Circumstance March No. 1*" E. Elgar Palladium Brass  
Master of Cermonies Interim Senior Vice Chancellor B.J. Reed  
National Anthem "*The Star Spangled Banner*"  
[Please join in singing led by Ms. Alyssa Bolte Vocal Music/Education major]  
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Regents' Welcome Mr. Robert Whitehouse Chair of the Board of Regents  
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Mr. Lee Denker President of the UNO Alumni Association  
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Presentation of Candidates Academic Deans  
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    Information Science & Technology Dean Hesham Ali, pg. 28  
Closing Interim Senior Vice Chancellor B.J. Reed  
Recessional "*Pomp and Circumstance March No. 4*" E. Elgar



STUDENT SPEAKER

A Regent's Scholar, Libby Malone today will receive a Bachelor of Arts degree in Psychology. She also graduates Magna Cum Laude.

Coming to UNO from Papillion, Malone has been an active member of Chi Omega, where she has held several offices, including chapter vice president. During her time at UNO, she also served as a UNO Ambassador, Matador, Orientation Leader, and as a peer advisor for Transitions, a program organized to assist high school and college students with autism.

In addition to making the Deans' List every semester at UNO, Malone received the Brewer-Nelson Memorial Scholarship from Chi Omega and was named the Pan Hellenic Council's Sister of the Month last September.

Malone writes that she is extremely proud to be a member of Chi Omega because, "(b)eing a member of a group of women so dedicated to achieving excellence in school and bringing out the best in each other made my time at UNO better than I could have ever imaged."

Malone's hobbies include reading Harry Potter, watching historical documentaries and dancing like no one is watching. She plans to continue her education and pursue a graduate degree in School Psychology.

*Ms. Elizabeth Malone*

## Alumni Achievement Award

ownership and operations. Tenaska also provides energy risk management services and is involved in natural gas, biofuels and electric power marketing; gas exploration, production and transportation systems; and electric transmission development.

Smith is vice chairman of the Tenaska Board of Stakeholders and is a member of the company's five-person executive team. He also is a member of various management committees associated with Tenaska business units.

Under Smith's leadership as co-founder, CEO and senior managing director of TCM, total assets under TCM's management are approximately \$5 billion and include power generating plants and natural gas pipelines, and gas storage, gathering and processing facilities.

As TCM's CEO and senior managing director, Smith, along with the company's other senior managing directors, is responsible for the overall strategy, investment, operation and disposition of TPF I and TPF II investments. He also is a member of the Investment Committees for TPF I and TPF II and serves on the boards of directors for fund portfolio companies.

Smith has worked in the energy industry for more than 30 years, including 22 years with Tenaska or its affiliates. His broad experience includes mergers and acquisitions, corporate strategy, equity placements, business development, project development, power company management, natural gas production management, marketing company management, commercial contract negotiations and engineering.

Smith also earned a bachelor's degree in mechanical engineering from Iowa State University. He lives in Omaha with his wife, Annette. They have three sons.

Paul G. Smith earned a master's degree in business administration from UNO in 1984. He is vice chairman of Tenaska Energy and co-founder, CEO and senior managing director of Tenaska Capital Management (TCM), the manager of Tenaska Power Fund (TPF I) and TPF II.

As vice-chairman, Smith co-leads Tenaska, an independent energy company concentrating on reliable, cost-efficient and environmentally responsible power plant development,

STUDENT SPEAKER

Born in Hayward, Calif., but coming to UNO from Papillion, Stephanie Wilson is a Goodrich Scholar who will graduate with a Bachelor of Science degree in Business Administration with an emphasis on Management and a minor in Marketing.

Prior to enrolling at UNO Wilson was part of the Summer Scholars program, which allows high school students to take college credits over their summer vacation. She credits the program with helping her earn a Goodrich Scholarship and build valuable connections to campus.

During her time at UNO, Wilson made the Deans' List or Chancellor's List every semester in addition to receiving the Don Dendinger Award, Wilda Stephenson internship, and a Certificate of Excellence from the Department of Marketing and Management. She also served as a Goodrich Writing Tutor from 2010 to 2011.

After graduation Wilson plans to work at Union Pacific, where she has been offered a full time position after a year-long internship. She will be working with the company's Distribution Services department as an associate account manager.

Wilson is graduating today alongside her brother John and credits her parents for helping them, and their sister Diva—a May graduate from Creighton University—achieve a great education.

*Ms. Stephanie Wilson*

## Alumni Achievement Award

In 1999, he was appointed senior vice president and CFO of AAA Nebraska's statewide operations. Two years later, he was appointed regional president of AAA Nebraska/North Dakota.

Under Grieb's leadership, AAA Nebraska has grown to serve more than 200,000 members across the state. In 2001, AAA Nebraska joined the Auto Club Group, an alliance of eight AAA clubs in the upper Midwest representing 4.2 million AAA members. As a result of AAA Nebraska's positive reputation, image and brand loyalty, the Auto Club Group selected Omaha as the site for a regional customer care operations center. The center opened in 2003, creating more than 350 new jobs in Nebraska. In 2011, Omaha was selected as the site for the Auto Club Group's first full-service retail bank.

Grieb was instrumental in creating the Cornhusker Motor Club Foundation, a nonprofit organization dedicated to highway safety, crime prevention and tourism efforts. Largely supported by AAA and its members, the foundation has earned several awards and honors, most recently the Friend of Tourism Award presented by Governor Dave Heineman during the Nebraska Travel Industry Conference.

A member of the American Institute of Certified Public Accountants, Grieb has served on many organization boards and committees, including the United Way of the Midlands Foundation, New Cassel Retirement Center, and St. Stephen the Martyr Parish. He also was 2011 membership campaign chairman for the Greater Omaha Chamber of Commerce.

Grieb's service also has extended to his alma mater. He served on the UNO Alumni Association Board of Directors from 2003 until 2011. He was the association's chairman in 2009 and received its Outstanding Service Award in June 2011. He also is a member of the National Advisory Board of UNO's College of Business Administration.

Grieb lives in Omaha with his wife, Frances Pallas Grieb (UNO class of 1982), and their two children.

Mark Grieb earned a bachelor's degree from UNO in business administration with a major in accounting in 1981, graduating cum laude.

After serving 12 years as a CPA at KPMG Peat Marwick, Grieb in 1994 became vice president of finance for AAA Nebraska.

CANDIDATES FOR GRADUATE DEGREES CONT.

DOCTOR OF PHILOSOPHY

Wei Chen

Bachelor of Engineering, Nanchang University, 2001; MS, Tsinghua University, 2003; Ph.D. in Information Technology, "Temporal Analysis of Topics in Time-Stamped Document Sets;" Dissertation Advisor: Dr. Parvathi Chundi

Ke Cheng

Bachelor of Engineering, Harbin Institute of Technology, 1999; Master of Education, Beijing Institute of Technology, 2002; Ph.D. in Information Technology, "Multi-Robot Coalition Formation for Distributed Area Coverage;" Dissertation Advisor: Dr. Prithviraj Dasgupta

Travis Godwin Good

BA, Harvard University, 2004; Ph.D. in Information Technology, "An Investigation of Micro-enterprise Capability-building via Access and Use of Technology;" Dissertation Advisor: Dr. Sajda Qureshi

Courtney Elizabeth Jensen

BA, University of Washington, 2001; MPA, Eastern Washington University, 2006; Ph.D. in Public Administration, "Foundations and Racial Inequality: A Discourse Analysis;" Dissertation Advisor: Dr. Angela Eikenberry

William Travis Morris

BA, Northern Illinois University, 1996; MS, Eastern Kentucky University, 2004; Ph.D. in Criminology & Criminal Justice, "Breaking the Criminogenic Code: A Frame Analysis of Neo-Nazi and Violent Jihadi Propaganda;" Dissertation Advisor: Dr. Peter Simi

Levi Thiele

BA, University of Nebraska at Omaha, 2005; MA, University of Nebraska-Lincoln, 2007; Ph.D. in Public Administration, "Online Government: An Analysis of Municipal Websites in the United States;" Dissertation Advisor: Dr. Richard Box

Gerard C. Wellman

BA, Louisiana State University A & M College, 2003; Ph.D. in Public Administration, "Social Justice and Public Transportation;" Dissertation Advisor: Dr. Richard Box

YanWu

BA, Beijing Institute of Technology, 2004; MS, Beijing University of Technology, 2005; Ph.D. in Information Technology, "Using Semantic Templates to Study Vulnerabilities Recorded in Large Software Repositories;" Dissertation Advisors: Dr. Harvey Siy and Dr. Robin A. Gandhi

DOCTOR OF EDUCATION

David Kennedy Alati

BS, Iowa State University, 1995; Ed.D. in Educational Administration, "Achievement, Engagement, and Behavior Outcomes of Youth at Risk Following a Pre-Eighth-Grade Summer Academic Enrichment Program and Participation in a School-Wide, School Year Long, Ownership, Mastery, and Grading Initiative;" Dissertation Advisor: Dr. John W. Hill

Matthew J. Blomenkamp

BA, Midland Lutheran College, 1999; Master of Education, Wayne State College, 2002; Ed.D. in Educational Administration, "A Program Evaluation of the Building Construction of Bellevue Elementary School for the Bellevue Public Schools;" Dissertation Advisor: Dr. Peter Smith

Beth Lynn Fink

Bachelor of Science in Education, University of Nebraska at Omaha, 1998; MS, Creighton University, 2002; Ed.D. in Educational Administration, "The Effect of a Seventh Grade After School Leadership Program on the Developmental Assets, Academic Achievement, and Behavior of Non-thriving Students;" Dissertation Advisor: Dr. Kay Keiser

David Charles Hemphill

BS, Nebraska Wesleyan University, 1989; MS, Peru State College, 1997; Ed.D. in Educational Administration, "Algebra Readiness Outcomes of Sixth-Grade Boys and Girls Placed in Challenge Math Based on Measured Math Ability Compared to Sixth-Grade Boys and Girls Placed in Challenge Math Based on Teachers' Recommendations;" Dissertation Advisor: Dr. John Hill

Melba A. Hooker

BA, University of Arizona, 1981; MS, Peru State College, 1999; Ed.D. in Educational Administration, "The Impact of Parental Military Status on the Achievement, Attendance, and Attitudes of Fourth Grade Students;" Dissertation Advisor: Dr. Peter Smith

Heidi Taggart Penke

BS, Creighton University, 1999; Ed.D. in Educational Administration, "The Effect of the English Language Learner Pull Out Program on Primary Students' Language Achievement;" Dissertation Advisor: Dr. Kay Keiser

Gregory Evan Tiemann

Bachelor of Science in Education, Emporia State University, 1993; MA, Emporia State University, 1995; Ed.D. in Educational Administration, "The Impact of School-wide High School Advanced Placement Program and Culture on Participating Students' High School Achievement and Engagement Outcomes and First Year University Academic Success;" Dissertation Advisor: Dr. Peter Smith

EDUCATION SPECIALIST

Alicia Marie Beckendorf

BS, Drake University, 2006; MS, University of Nebraska at Omaha, 2009; School Psychology, "The Relationship Between Children's Level of Play and Social Skills;" Field Project Advisor: Dr. Lisa Kelly-Vance

Julie Kirsten Hart

BA, College of St. Mary, 2007; MS, University of Nebraska at Omaha, 2009; School Psychology, "Parent Perceptions and Knowledge and Child Play Level;" Field Project Advisor: Dr. Lisa Kelly-Vance

Jessica M. Mallory

BA, University of Minnesota, 2003; MS, University of Nebraska at Omaha, 2009; School Psychology, "Incorporating Divergent Thinking Training into Play Interventions for Preschool Children with Developmental Risk Factors;" Field Project Advisor: Dr. Lisa Kelly-Vance

Sameena Jabeen Mohiuddin-Noetzel

BA, Creighton University, 1985; MS, University of Nebraska at Omaha, 1987; Ph.D., Illinois Institute of Technology, 1998; MS, University of Nebraska at Omaha, 2009; School Psychology, "The Relationship Between Play: Communication Skills of Your Children in a Childcare Setting;" Field Project Advisor: Dr. Lisa Kelly-Vance

Anne Marie Robbins

BA, University of Nebraska at Omaha, 2006; MS, University of Nebraska at Omaha, 2009; School Psychology, "Teachers' Perceptions of Problem Behaviors and Selection of Interventions;" Field Project Advisor: Dr. Brian McKevitt

Laurie Vernay Seaborne-Borda

BA, University of the Pacific, 2004; School Psychology, "Preschoolers' Emotion Regulation & Negative Affect: Links to Levels of Play?;" Field Project Advisor: Dr. Lisa Kelly-Vance

Adam Nathan Sempek

BA, University of Nebraska-Lincoln, 2005; MS, University of Nebraska at Omaha, 2009; School Psychology, "A Cross-Cultural Examination of Relationships among Maternal Knowledge of Play, Perceptions of Play, Level of Acculturation, and Children's Level of Play;" Field Project Advisor: Dr. Lisa Kelly-Vance

Julie Michelle Soukup

BA, Simpson College, 2007; MS, University of Nebraska at Omaha, 2009; School Psychology, "The Relationship between Teachers' and Administrators' Perceptions of Positive Behavior Support (PBS) and Implementation Integrity;" Field Project Advisor: Dr. Brian McKevitt

MASTER OF ACCOUNTING

Michael Anthony Hrnčirik

BS, North Carolina State University-Raleigh, 2005; Accounting

Azalia N. Khouznoutdinova

Bachelor of Science in Business Administration, Creighton University, 1999; Accounting

Julia Christine Kolar

Bachelor of Science in Business Administration, University of Nebraska at Omaha, 2008; Accounting

Jianping Liu

Bachelor of Economics, University of Shanghai for Science & Technology, 2002; Accounting

Matthew Richard McFarlin

Bachelor of Science in Business Administration, University of Nebraska-Lincoln, 2009; Accounting

Jake William Olsen

Bachelor of Science in Business Administration, University of Nebraska at Omaha, 2010; Accounting

Ross David Olsen

Bachelor of Science in Business Administration, University of Nebraska at Omaha, 2010; Accounting

Desiree Ann O'Shea

Bachelor of Science in Business Administration, Marquette University, 2004; Accounting

Megan Michelle Renee Stevenson

BS, Indiana University-Purdue University-Indianapolis, 2007; Accounting

MASTER OF ARCHITECTURAL ENGINEERING

Barry Scott Albert

Bachelor of Science in Architectural Engineering, University of Nebraska-Lincoln College of Engineering, 2010; Architectural Engineering

MASTER OF ARTS

Mandi Marie Alexander

BA, Stanford University, 2005; Psychology, "Perceived Parenting Styles and Sexual Attitudes among Young Adults;" Thesis Advisor: Dr. Juan Casas

Hyun-Sung An

Bachelor of Science in Education, Hoseo University, 2007; Health, Physical Education, and Recreation

Jeffery Ross Armstrong

BS, University of Nebraska-Lincoln, 1999; MA, University of Phoenix, 2004; Counseling

Anna Beaty

BA, Mesa State College, 2002; Communication, "BP's YouTube Response to the Gulf Oil Spill: A Rhetorical Analysis of Corporate Propaganda;" Thesis Advisor: Dr. Bruce Johansen

Carlo Jean Bentley

BA, University of Iowa-Iowa City, 1991; English

This list includes names of persons who were candidates as of December 6, 2011. Degrees to be awarded are subject to completion of academic requirements

Jessica Lynn Bernhardt  
BA, Southwestern College, 2009; Communication,  
"Comparing Perception and Reality: A Mixed-  
Methodological Approach Comparing Women's  
Perception of the Female Body Image to Magazine  
Portrayal of Body Image;" Thesis Advisor: Dr. Adam  
Tyma

Bibek Bhattarai  
BA, Tribhuvan University, 2000; BS, Bellevue  
University, 2006; Geography, "Assessment of  
Mangrove Forests in the Pacific Using Landsat  
Imagery;" Thesis Advisor: Dr. Rex Cammack

Andrew Kent Birnie  
BS, University of Nebraska at Omaha, 2008;  
Psychology, "Effects of Repeated Exposure to  
Fluoxetine during Adolescence on Adult Behavior  
and Hypothalamic-Pituitary-Adrenal Axis Function in  
Mongolian Gerbils (*Meriones unguiculatus*);" Thesis  
Advisor: Dr. Jeffrey French

Fairoze Boali  
BS, King Faisal University, 2006; Health, Physical  
Educations Recreation

Annie Jayne Bowman  
BS, Nebraska Methodist College of Nursing, 2009;  
Health, Physical Education, and Recreation

Carrie A. Conley  
BA, University of Northern Iowa, 2006; Criminology  
& Criminal Justice, "Reppin' my Hood: The Utilization  
of Graffiti in Defining Gang Territory;" Thesis Advisor:  
Dr. John Crank

Catherine Suzanne Dagle-Mass  
BA, University of Nebraska at Omaha, 2007; History,  
"Ideals versus Realities: The Complexities of Rural  
Life in Archaic and Classical Attica;" Thesis Advisor:  
Dr. Jeanne Reames

Erika Elizabeth DeBoer  
BA, Chadron State College, 2009; Theatre

Nitasha Rae Dickes  
BS, University of Nebraska at Omaha, 2007;  
Psychology, "Teaching Reverse Intraverbals to Young  
Children with Autism;" Thesis Advisors: Dr. Tiffany  
Kodak and Dr. Brian McKeivitt

Tara Lynette Doughty  
Bachelor of Science in Business Administration,  
University of Nebraska at Omaha, 2003;  
Communication, "So that We All Can Fly: A Rhetorical  
Analysis of Huey P. Newton and Barack Obama;" Thesis  
Advisor: Dr. Lynette Leonard

Gregory Esposito  
BA, University of Nebraska at Omaha, 2009; History

Seppo Ovie Ewwaraye  
BA, University of Nebraska-Lincoln, 2005; Health,  
Physical Education, and Recreation

Betty Lou Farmer  
Bachelor of Science in Education, University of  
Missouri-Columbia, 1981; MA, University of Missouri-  
Columbia, 1982; English, "Enough: A Memoir;" Thesis  
Advisor: Dr. Lisa Knopp

Scott Aaron Flash  
BS, University of Nebraska at Omaha, 2007;  
Geography, "Western Sarpy County Drainage Ditch:  
A Chemical, Physical and Ecological Analysis;" Thesis  
Advisor: Dr. Jeffery Peake

Lucy Ann Garza Westbrook  
BA, University of Nebraska at Omaha, 1998; Sociology,  
"The Role of Human Capital and Social Capital on  
Incorporation and Latino Educational Achievement  
at the Post-Secondary Level;" Thesis Advisor: Dr.  
Mary Ann Powell

Linda Sue Gebhardt  
BS, University of Nebraska at Omaha, 2001; History,  
"Social Settlement and Omaha Community;" Thesis  
Advisor: Dr. Maria Arbelaez

Alexander Jay Glade  
BA, University of Northern Iowa, 1999; History

Benjamin Matthew Goins  
BA, Morningside College, 2007; History, "Seward's  
American Vision: Union, Liberty, and Economic  
Empire;" Thesis Advisor: Dr. Mark Scherer

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BS, Aristotle University of Thessaloniki, 2005; Health, Physical Education, and Recreation, "The Effects of Altered Somatosensory Information on Sitting Posture in Infants;" Thesis Advisor: Dr. Nicholas Stergiou

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COLLEGE LEARNING ASSESEMENT AND ROTC

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Lathan R. Haug  
Matthew Gary Hemingway  
Mark Thomas Hennings  
Erica Marie Lausten

Regina Lynn Meester  
Jacob Benjamin Michnick  
Keely Kathryn Montgomery  
Rebecca Salkin  
Elise Sunde  
Sarah Marie Westenburg

COLLEGE OF ARTS  
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Bachelor of Arts

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Kathryn Elizabeth Arnold  
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Jack Begley  
Desiree Bellefeuille  
Paula Andrea Benavides *cl*  
Teresa Ann Birge  
Justin Charles Brewer *sd*  
Nichole Renee Bridgeford  
Kayla Marie Brown  
Bristol A. Burns  
Molly Ann Bystrekd  
Joshua Michael Campbell *mcl*  
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Craig Joseph Carsleyd  
Vasili Chaika  
Valerie Cippera  
Thomas Hugh Cutler  
Chad Steven DeCock  
Ashton Dreyer  
Ciprianna Marie Dudding *scf*  
Laurel Jane Freemyer  
Rene J. Gosch  
Jack Richard Hall  
Christine Elizabeth Harris *scf*  
Meredith Elaine Heilman  
Amber Kay Henkel *mcl*  
Jacqueline Elizabeth Horani *mcl*  
Stephanie Nicole Hughes  
Mallory Hunter *mcl*  
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Andrew Charles Jamison  
Robert Timothy Jeffrey  
Katherine Lynne Jennison *clem*  
Angelica LaVonne Jensen  
Vanessa Marie John  
Sarah Ann Jorgensen  
Danam Kampatibe  
Andrew Lampe  
Gabriel Levi Langdon  
Carter Douglas Lowman  
Elizabeth Ann Malone *mcl*

Margaret Ann McGranaghan  
Debra Kaye McGuire  
Katlin Elizabeth McKinney  
Elizabeth Ann Meyerhoeffer *mcl*  
Margaret Elizabeth Mitchell  
Meghan Marjorie Murdock  
Iveth Azucena Najarro  
Jessica Vawn Nattrass  
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Nazhmidinov *clem*  
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Jacob Marvin Pomeranke *mcl*  
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Cesar Jorge Ramos  
Maryam Ogey Sahak  
Susan Rose Sailors *mcl*  
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Brendan Michael Ammon Stack  
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Richard Roland Surber III  
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Morgan Marie Wolff *mcl*  
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Kasey Wurst  
Sherry Ann Yablonski

Bachelor of Science

Cody Chase Amend *mcl*  
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Ismael Roberto Barajas  
Kaitlin Barr  
Eric Robert Beck  
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Amber Lynn Bentzinger  
Derek Andrew Blue  
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Cruz F. Cabrera  
Colin Ray Caspers  
Lauren Nicole Cassidy  
Cameron Lee Clark *c/*  
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Travis Scott Curlis  
James Andrew Davis  
April Cruz Diaz  
Jennifer Lynn Dickau  
Konal John Dobson *mcl*  
Elizabeth Anne Dolan  
Kevin Patrick Donahue  
Ian N. Duncan *a*  
Thomas Dzuris  
Caitlin Rose Edwards  
Jennifer Elizabeth Elkins  
Jason Andrew Garrett  
Solaiman Jalal Ghazai  
Natalie Anne Goergen  
Chelsey Christina-Raye Goodwin  
Jeffrey Robert Gorham  
Nicholas Kirk Grauf  
Cortney Elizabeth Griffith *a*  
Jayme Nicole Griffiths *a*  
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Hala Halawa  
Matthew Thad Handlos  
Sarah Elizabeth Hanks  
Lathan R. Haug  
Ashley Lynn Hauptman  
Matthew Ryan Hausman  
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Taylor Ann Pizinger  
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Jeffery James Randall  
Sara Cristine Rasmussen  
Karissa S. Reiser  
Gregory-Russell Drew Richardson  
Mary Elizabeth Rothermund  
Michelle Francesco Schaller  
Amy Kristine Schmidt  
Morgan Le Schnoes  
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Joel Riley Sheehy  
Lindsey Allison Sherrets  
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Keven Todd Sorensen  
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Matthew Paul Stephany  
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Brittany Diane Stroope  
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Christopher Everett Sullivan  
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Paul Edward Turgeon d  
Kristin VanWyngaarden  
Oren Benjamin Varkony d  
Heather Marie Vazquez  
Vincent Nicholas Vazquez  
Nathan Scott Verzal  
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Danielle Nicole Winckowski  
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**UNL COLLEGE OF  
ENGINEERING**  
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in Civil Engineering

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Dustin James Davis  
Michael Eskander  
Ilias Gibigaye **HD \***  
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David J. Isley *a*  
Philip Andrew Jackman  
Tyler G. Knuth  
Tyler Joseph Peters  
Bradley Benjamin Petersen *a*  
Peter Samy Samird  
Brian Thomas Schuele  
Nathan Reza Siahpush  
Caleb M. Snyder  
Anton John Stanek  
Jared Lee Svagera *a*

Bachelor of Science in  
Computer Engineering

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John Joel Edwards  
James Danial Ferguson  
Jeffrey Jordan Tausz

Bachelor of Science  
in Architectural Engineering

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James Robert Cottrell  
Spencer Glenn Gaskell  
Matthew Brian Gorny  
Stephanie Lynn O'Dea  
Bradley Benjamin Petersen *a*  
Roger J. Sandhoefner  
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Bachelor of Science  
in Construction Engineering

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Koffi Agbe Adela-Kloutse  
Jordan Robert Johnson  
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Courtney Aaron Lovato, Sr  
John Carl Tomasek

Bachelor of Science in  
Construction Management

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Chase Douglas Froehlich  
Donald Franklin Goswick  
Barry Scott Kienow  
Michael Anthony Kilgore  
Cody J. McAlpin  
Joshua Richard Reed Probst  
Joel Michael Shriver  
Daysha Renee Stone

Bachelor of Science  
in Electronics Engineering

James Danial Ferguson

Bachelor of Science in  
Engineering Technology

Timothy Amos Alexander  
Deloma Cammarata

Associate of Science  
in Technology

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Stephanie Ann Gradoville  
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Nicholas Matthew Neneman



COLLEGE OF EDUCATION

Bachelor of Science in Education

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Ashley Amante *mcl*  
Hannah Laurie Andahl  
Joel Thomas Arterburn  
Emily Suzanne Baker  
Ashton Barnes  
Jessica Lynn Barr  
Rachel Leah Beiting  
Amanda Christine Benak  
Karissa Sue Bender  
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Bachelor of Science in Athletic Training

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Did you know...

In the fall of 2011, the College of Education moved into its new home, a fully renovated Roskens Hall. The \$13.7 million project, almost entirely paid for by private funds, has yielded an additional 20,000 square feet of space.

Did you know...

The college's new home is now Mommel Hall. The 120,000-square-foot building has a three-story grand atrium, interactive touch-screen v.deo displays, a 196-seat auditorium and glass-walled classrooms.

COLLEGE OF BUSINESS ADMINISTRATION

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The School of Social Work in CPACS has a new name—The Grace Abbott School of Social Work. Abbott, who was born in Nebraska in 1878, worked tirelessly on child welfare issues during her lifetime.

COLLEGE OF  
PUBLIC AFFAIRS  
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COLLEGE OF  
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The latest addition to the college is the School of Interdisciplinary informatics, which includes undergraduate and graduate degrees in bioinformatics, information assurance and a new bachelor's degree in Information Technology Innovation.

Bachelor of Science  
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Bachelor of Science  
in Bioinformatics

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Bachelor of Science in  
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COLLEGE OF  
COMMUNICATION,  
FINE ARTS AND  
MEDIA

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in Communication

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The tallest building at UNO is part of the college. The Henningson Memorial Campanille risies 168 feet over the campus and is one of only 180 such structures in the United States.

The University of Nebraska Omaha